

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF PUERTO RICO

United States of America

Plaintiff

v.

7- Kasim Vázquez-Benítez

Defendant

CASE NO. Cr. 99-0260

**ORDER**

Because the above named defendant has testified under oath or has otherwise satisfied this Court that

(1) is financially unable to employ counsel,

(2) does not wish to waive counsel,

and because the interest of justice so require, the Federal Public Defender is hereby appointed to represent the defendant in this case until the same is terminated or a substitute attorney is appointed.

BY ORDER OF THE COURT, NUNC PRO TUNC \_\_\_\_\_

At San Juan, Puerto Rico, on May 23, 2006

FRANCES RIOS DE MORAN  
Clerk of the Court

By: s/ Jyoti Mehta-López  
Deputy Clerk